

Our great country has been the leader in the worlds economy for several reasons. The ability to innovate and create new technologies is one of them. If the broadcasters of this country cannot compete with satellite radio, then the economic consequences should be the same as for all business entities that cannot compete. Using their reasoning, we would all still be in a horse and buggy. Just like an automobile replacing the horse, a more efficent and better technology has become available to the american consumer. Do not support the interests of broadcasters by creating a monopoly that stifles innovation and competition. It is our constitutional right to have public broadcasts, ground or satellite based, available to the consumer without government interference. Reject petition 04-160 and protect american values and our economic system.